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RUSSIANS LEAVE ONLY SEA OF FLAMES

SEPTEMBER BUSINESS

IS ALWAYS GOOD AND BRISK

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HARDY NEWTON

EVERYTHING IS BURNED AND ALL ROADS RUINED

The Russian Retreat From Poland Is Characterized as a Masterpiece of Devastation—A Sea of Living Flames and Ruined Roads Are All That Is Left Behind—Germans Fighting for Riga, Capture Bridgehead, Forty Miles From Riga, With More Than 3,000 Prisoners. Turks Were Routed by Russians and Two Thousand Killed—German Baron Von Forstner Was Killed in Battle—Heavy Artillery Fighting Reported on Western Front—New Type of German Submarine Has Appeared. England Interested in Peace Talk.

[By Associated Press.]

Geneva, Sept. 4.—A letter published here from an Austrian officer on the Eastern front says the Russian retreat is a masterpiece of devastation, leaving only an immense sea of flames behind. Everything is being burned and the roads indescribably cut up and obstructed.

CAPTURED 3,000 RUSSIANS.

[By Associated Press.]

Berlin, Sept. 4.—The German army, in fighting for the possession of the Russian port of Riga, won another important victory by capturing a bridgehead forty miles below Riga with more than 3,000 prisoners.

Turks Were Routed.

[By Associated Press.]

Petrograd, Sept. 4.—The official statement says that on the Caucasus front in the coast region the Turks, in attempting to dislodge the Russian vanguard, were put to flight near Ohl. The Russians stormed and captured several Russian trenches, killing 2,000 Turks.

Baron von Forstner Killed.

[By Associated Press.]

Berlin, Sept. 4.—Lieutenant Baron von Forstner has been killed in battle. He figured in the Zaben incident in 1913, when he was snared by a lame Alsatian and was sentenced to forty-three days imprisonment.

Violent Artillery Fire.

[By Associated Press.]

Paris, Sept. 4.—Particularly violent

artillery engagements occurred yesterday northeast and south of Arras and at other points between the Oise and the Aisne.

It is believed this persistent bombardment of the German positions presages a new offensive by the allies in the West.

New Type German Submarine.

[By Associated Press.]

Berlin, Sept. 4.—A Christiana dispatch says a new type of German submarine was seen off the Norwegian coast. The vessel is larger than the other submarines.

England Interested in Peace.

[By Associated Press.]

London, Sept. 4.—While it is established that London will have no part in the initiation of informal peace negotiations, it is plain here today that British officials are keenly interested in the news of activity in this direction. There are evidences that if the reported peace overtures should be made by Germany, they would meet consideration here.

U. S. Investigates Wild Report.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—The Navy Department has started an investigation into the reports that ten American built submarines have crossed the Atlantic under their own power and are now with the allied fleet.

METHODISTS TO OBSERVE LABOR DAY

Prominent Speaker on Social and Industrial Questions to Occupy Pulpit Sunday Night.

Dr. J. C. Granbery, Ph. D., professor of economics at Southwestern University, Georgetown, will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday. Dr. Granbery is one of the great leaders in social and industrial questions in America. Besides his duties at Southwestern University, he is the head of the Texas Methodist Social Service Commission and a leader in the forward movements for better industrial relations. He is a man with a message. It will be the policy of the present pastor of the Methodist Church to celebrate from year to year Labor Sunday, and so tomorrow night Dr. Granbery will speak on the labor question, and the pastor earnestly urges members of the labor unions to be there and all men who are interested in this great industrial movement.

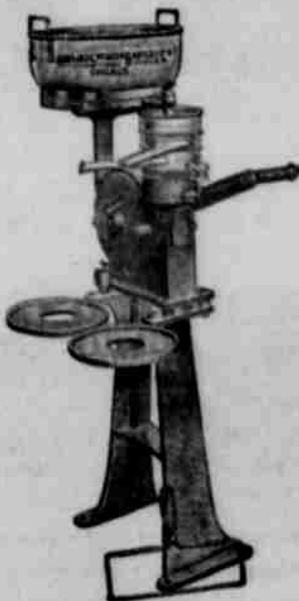
NEGROES DENY MOHR KILLING

Say They Never Confessed That Mrs. Mohr Hired Them and That She Is Innocent.

[By Associated Press.]

Providence, R. I., Sept. 4.—The three negroes charged with killing Dr. Franklin Mohr denied to the Associated Press today that they had confessed the murder at the instigation of Mrs. Mohr. The negroes say they do not believe Mrs. Mohr had any knowledge of the crime, and that they are innocent.

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W. S. WILSON, JR.

TWO HUNDRED WERE KILLED IN WRECK

Occurred in Mexico and Many Women and Children Were Among the Number.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—American Consul Stillman reports an appalling train wreck two hundred miles east of Mexico City several days ago. Two hundred persons, including many women and children, were killed.

FATALITIES FOLLOW GAS EXPLOSION

[By Associated Press.]

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 4.—Three were fatally and one seriously burned in a natural gas explosion near Oilton last night.

TENNESSEE SCENE OF A LYNCHING

[By Associated Press.]

Dresden, Tenn., Sept. 4.—A negro, charged with entering a white woman's room, was lynched at Greenfield, Tenn., today.

FIVE PERISHED IN ORPHANAGE FIRE

[By Associated Press.]

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 4.—The St. Francis Girls' Orphanage was destroyed by fire here this morning. Five lives were lost.

ASK BURLISON TO HELP.

County Judge J. T. Maloney informs The Eagle that he and the commissioners' court of Brazos County will make application to the commissioners' court of Burleson County at their next meeting for assistance in defraying the expense of repairing the damage to Jones bridge done by the recent storm. The estimated cost of the repairs is about \$5,000. The Burleson County commissioners responded promptly when asked for assistance in repairing the flood damage to Pitts Bridge.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Checks are not acceptable to the department for stamps, stamped paper or money orders. Please do not present checks.

JOHN E. ASTIN, Postmaster.

A STATE OF WAR EXISTS ON BORDER

Mexican Troops Concentrating Along Border and Frequent Skirmishes Fought.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—The State Department today had no advice to substantiate the current reports that Mexican troops are concentrating along the border in Northeast Mexico, although the situation is viewed with increasing apprehension. Practically all the mobilized forces are at the disposal of General Funston.

Fired on Rangers.

[By Associated Press.]

Brownsville, Tex., Sept. 4.—Forty Carranza soldiers fired across the Rio Grande at a rancher and some Texas rangers four miles west of old Hidalgo, this morning. All available cavalry is being rushed there.

MARTIAL LAW DE- CLARED IN HAITI

[By Associated Press.]

Port au Prince, Haiti, Sept. 4.—Rear Admiral Caperton today proclaimed martial law in all the Haitian districts occupied by American troops. The people are calm.

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TROPICAL STORM HAS SPENT FURY

Passing Inland on the Florida Coast. There Was But Small Damage.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—The center of the tropical storm was approaching the Gulf coast this morning near the mouth of the Apalachicola river. It is expected to pass inland this afternoon with diminished intensity. But little damage to shipping is expected. Cedar Keys, Fla., reports water in her main street and the wind blowing a gale.

Cable Was Interrupted.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—Interrupted cable communication with Bermuda today left the Weather Bureau without definite information on the Atlantic storm. The last reports indicated it was headed north of north-west toward the American coast.

Storm Damage in Florida.

Tampa, Fla., Sept. 4.—The storm along the Florida coast today washed away a quarter mile of the south end of Sand Key Island, opposite Clear Water. No lives were lost, but all houses were carried away.

BRYAN COTTON EXCHANGE.

New York.

	Open.	Close.	Yes/day
October	9.72	9.50	9.82
December	10.07	10.14	10.15
January	10.26	10.28	10.29
March	10.48	10.53	10.50
New Orleans.			
October	9.56	9.58	9.57
December	9.90	9.93	9.98
January	10.07	10.10	10.15
March	10.28	10.33	10.36

FIVE MILLION COM- ING TO TEXAS

Will Be Deposited in Dallas Reserve Bank to Aid Texas Cotton Producers.

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, Sept. 4.—Orders were signed today making the Federal Reserve Banks at Richmond, Atlanta and Dallas government depositories. Each bank will receive \$5,000,000 in gold to aid cotton producers. The gold will probably be shipped tonight.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

Cotton has been received in the local warehouses this season as follows:

Lawrence warehouse	1,095
Union warehouse	685
Brick warehouse	560
Total	2,340
Cotton received today:	
Lawrence warehouse	225
Union warehouse	160
Brick warehouse	150
Total	535
Cottonseed, \$18 per ton.	
Bryan spots, 3c, middling basis.	

R. M. Nall Jr. has returned to his home in Yoakum, after a brief visit with his wife to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Nall. Carroll Dulaney, who has been ill for several weeks with typhoid fever at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dulaney, at Thompson creek, was in town shaking hands with his many friends today. Mr. Dulaney has been at home since August 1 from Waco, where he is in the employ of Swift & Company. Uncle John McCallum and son, Tom McCallum, were in town today from their home near Tabor.